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BEFORE THE ARIZONA GORPORATION COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS Arizona Compression Commission 2009 SEP 18 P 4: 16 KRISTIN K. MAYES - Chairman GARY PIERCE AZ CORP COMMISSION 4 SEP 1.3 2009 PAUL NEWMAN DŎČKĖT ČONTŘŎĽ SANDRA D. KENNEDY 5 **BOB STUMP** DO THE TED BY 6 IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT OF DOCKET NO. W-03514A-07-0386 7 STEVE PRAHIN, 8 COMPLAINANT. 9 vs. 10 PAYSON WATER COMPANY, 11 RESPONDENT. IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT OF DOCKET NO. W-03514A-08-0047 12 REBECCA SIGETI, 13 COMPLAINANT. 14 vs. 15 STAFF'S REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION PAYSON WATER CO., INC., **OF TIME** 16 RESPONDENT. 17 On June 25, 2007, Steve Prahin filed before the Arizona Corporation Commission 18 ("Commission") a formal complaint (Docket No. W-03514A-07-0386) against Payson Water 19 Company ("Payson"). 20 On January 5, 2008, Rebecca Sigeti filed before the Commission a formal complaint against 21 Payson (Docket No. W-03514A-08-0047). 22 On May 23, 2008, the Commission Hearing Division issued a Procedural Order consolidating 23 the complaints. 24 On August 5, 2008, Staff filed a Memorandum describing Payson's system capacity, before 25 and after installation of the Company's proposed improvements to wells and storage capacity. Staff 26 recommended that Payson increase its current production capacity and add at least 10,000 gallons of 27 storage by no later then December 31, 2008. 28

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On August 19, 2008, Payson filed a Response to Staff Report in which the Company concurred with Staff's recommended system improvements.

On January 30, 2009, Payson filed a Status Report – Water System Improvement Plan, in which it indicated that it had implemented fully the proposed system improvement plan. However, on February 3, 2009, Payson filed a Notice of Errata indicating that it was waiting for the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality ("ADEQ") to issue an Approval to Construct for the second 10,000 gallon storage tank.

On March 6, 2009, Staff filed a memorandum stating its belief that Payson had completed the projects listed in its System Improvement Plan with the exception of the second 10,000 gallon tank.

On March 16, 2009, Payson filed a Reply to Complainants' and Staff's Responses to Status Report indicating that it no longer believed that a second 10,000 gallon tank was needed.

On July 27, 2009, in an effort to resolve the mater, the Hearing Division issued a Procedural Order directing Staff to file, on or before September 18, 2009, a Response to Payson's March 16 filing. To that end, Staff issued a data request to Payson and scheduled a field inspection.

To date, however, Staff has not received a response to its data request. In addition, Staff has experienced several scheduling conflicts which have prevented a second field inspection from taking place. Both measures are necessary in order for Staff to provide a thorough response.

Staff has contacted Payson and avows that Payson has voiced its lack of objection to Staff's request for time. Staff has not contacted either of the Complainants at this time.

WHEREFORE, Staff requests that the Hearing Division grant Staff an extension of time in which to file the Response until Friday, September 25, 2009.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 18th day of September, 2009.

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